

## William "Bill" Vernon Shields

June 20, 1957 - October 21, 2013

William "Bill" Vernon Shields of Bloomington passed away at IU Health-University Hospital on Monday, October 21, 2013 at the age of 56.

Bill was born in Monroe County on June 20, 1957 to Johnny Joe Shields and Phyllis (Schoolcraft) Freeman. He worked as a laborer by trade. Bill was of the Christian Faith. He was a member of the Laborers Union Local #741. Bill was an avid motorcycle rider, riding his Harley Davidson anytime he could.

He was preceded in death by his father and grandparents.

Bill is survived by his mothers, Joan (Cole) Shields of Bloomington and Phyllis (Schoolcraft) Freeman of Martinsville; sons, Michael Tabor (Nerissa) of Bloomington and William Tabor (Rebecca) of Greene County; daughter, Alisha Stivers (Chad) of Bedford; sisters, Suellen Bell of FL and Penny DeClaire of MI; half-sisters, Joanne Liese (Danny) of Martinsville and Jackie Rogers (Steve) of CA; half-brother, Loren Freeman (Tonya) of Greenwood; grandchildren, Caleb, Kaitlynn, Aiden, Gavin, and Jaxon; several nieces and nephews; and girlfriend, Donna Moore.

Funeral services will be held at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville on Thursday, October 24, 2013 at 1:00 p.m. with Pastor Clarence Boone officiating. Burial is to follow at Mt. Pleasant Cemetery. Visitation will be at the

funeral home on Thursday from 11:00 until time of services.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

3191 West Burma Road  
Gosport, IN 47433

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chandler Funeral Homes - Ellettsville Chapel  
203 E. Temperance Street  
Ellettsville, IN 47429  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

SP

“ *Bill, this is your sister Penny. It has been almost five months and I miss you so much. Words just can't express. I miss your smile, laugh and just "you". Just know that your picture is on my counter and I see you everyday I say good morning to you and good nite. I love and miss you....*

Sister Penny - March 05, 2014 at 05:32 PM

PS

*Billy I miss you!!!! It's been three years and it seems like yesterday. I know God has a plan for all of us but you left way to soon. I know you are riding your motorcycle with the angels. Dad is with you and most all God! I 🥹 you. Love your little sissy Penny*

Penny Shields - July 18, 2017 at 12:08 PM

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“ *Sister Penny lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Vernon Shields*



Sister Penny - March 05, 2014 at 05:26 PM

NP

“ Penny & SuEllen

*OMGish, I'm so sad to see/hear of Bill passing - was never around him much but remember how strickingly handsome this "child" was along with his sweetness - maybe because I was older and Lisa's Mom and she was your girls friend. I know how he will be missed by you girls, when I lost my brother - well, he was never lost, He is in my mind and with me always. :) Love you, Nancy Parks, Lisa McCammons Mom*

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**Nancy Routt Parks** - October 24, 2013 at 01:50 PM



“ Lisa Allen lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" Vernon Shields



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**Lisa Allen** - October 24, 2013 at 08:52 AM

LA

“ Scott and I express our deepest sympathies to Bills' family and friends. I know he will be missed by all.

*Much Love,  
Scott and Lisa Allen (McCammon)*

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**Lisa Allen** - October 24, 2013 at 08:47 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of William "Bill" Vernon Shields.*



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October 24, 2013 at 07:09 AM

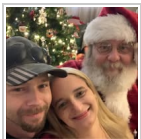


“ *1 file added to the album Bill and his Harley*



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**Nerissa Garman** - October 24, 2013 at 06:43 AM



“ *Bill was an amazing man! whoever knew him had many stories of fun and happy times. I was only able to know him a short 10 ten months, but the time i spent with him was amazing. He was always sweet and loving towards me and i will miss him greatly. His son and i are so happy we have had all this time with him and love him so much words can't even express. Bill was there for us and he always gave love and hugs to us when we needed it and even when we didnt. R.I.P bill you will be missed and always loved. xoxoxoxo*

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**Nerissa Garman** - October 24, 2013 at 06:42 AM

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“ 1 file added to the album *New Album Name*



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**Nerissa garman** - October 24, 2013 at 06:37 AM

AL

“ *Bill will be missed by all!*

*Al*

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**Al** - October 23, 2013 at 04:02 PM